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Baltic Bay Shipyards

- The battleship bed was empty. Some large hulls on the cruiser beds could not be seen well because of observation conditions. On the submarine slip west of the battleship bed lay a submarine. At the outfitting quay west of this slip lay two landing craft.
(Note: Two days later, outside Leningrad, a landing ship of the same type as the one at the outfitting quay was seen; [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Since the large hull at the outfitting quay was gone the sightings may have been of the same vessel).

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Marti Shipyards

- On the southwest bed lay a large hull, which dominated the whole shipyard [REDACTED] The vessel was completed up to the main deck. The hull shape gave [REDACTED] the impression that it might have been the atom-powered vessel recently publicized in the Soviet press. The northwest bed was concealed behind this hull.
- In the North [REDACTED] arm lay an unfinished cruiser. One gun turret was mounted, and the bridge tower was not completely built. The vessel was red-lead. Some work could be seen going on aboard it.
- In the southwest part of the shipyard area was another cruiser hull. It seemed to have been laid up. [REDACTED] this ship lay in the mouth of the South Fontanka arm, and that the inside part of this area was filled up)

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Zakladno Shipyards

- The harbor basin was completely empty of ships. The slip and south basin were empty. No work went on at night in the shipyard.

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Kanonenaki Shipyard

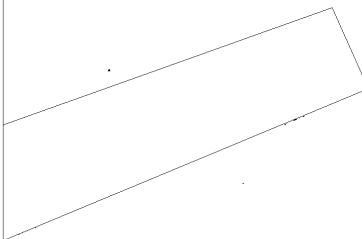
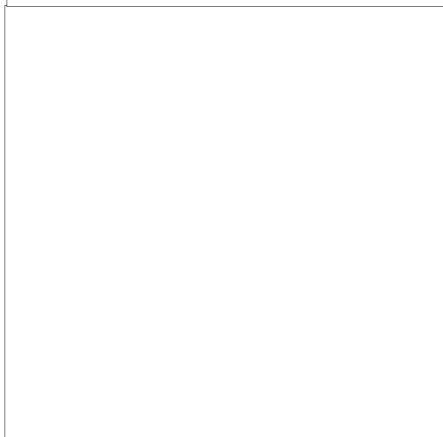
6. At the shipyard lay five merchant vessels under extensive repairs. The S/S KHARKOV lay in the floating dock on the east side of the shipyard.

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